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Washington, DC
20250

Please Note:

New vendors and subcontractors must supply all required paperwork (Appendix 1, Financial Statement, and 3 Reference Letters). In addition, all vendors must also be registered in the CCR, within 48 hours after bid opening or your company may be considered non-responsive.

FV-305

Fruit and Vegetable Programs

Date Issued: February 1, 2005

Canned Juice, Announcement FV-305, Invitation 010

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell canned juice as indicated below and per the Announcement for distribution to the needy family and other domestic food assistance programs. Offers are due by **1 p.m., Central time, Wednesday, February 16, 2005**. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, March 4, 2005. Deliveries are to be made from July 1, 2005 through September 30, 2005.

Offers are invited from the trade for the following:

Cranberry Juice Concentrate	12/11.5 oz.	115,200 cases
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Note:

- **All prime vendors are reminded that they are prohibited from subcontracting with companies or individuals that have been suspended or debarred.**
- **The product must be 100% grown, processed and packed in the United States from the current crop year or later.**
- **No offers will be made to 8(a) vendors on this invitation.**
- **All invitations with orders for the state of New York, must have the pack date stamped on the outside of each carton. The pack date should be annotated as per the following example: (05/01/2003). Orders for the state of New York requiring the special marking will be indicated by (**). This applies to New York orders "Only," if and when they appear on an invitation.**
- **On "BKLYN/CEN ISLIP NY" destinations, shippers are instructed to call the contact person on the Notice to Deliver first prior to making an**



appointment, so that they can be directed to which warehouse they will ship the product.

- **Manufacturer's own commercially packaged and labeled product is acceptable as long as it meets all of the requirements of the Food and Drug Administration and contains an identification code that allows for traceability of the product.**

Bids must be submitted electronically via the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) on the internet. Offerors who submit bids using other than DEBES, will be deemed non-responsive. Offeror must be assigned a Logon ID by USDA to access the site. The Internet address is: <http://pcsd.usda.gov/debes> which translates into a connection of <https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?> Once connected, follow the online procedures. A "HELP" button provides detailed instructions for using the system or call 202-720-4517 for assistance.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Inquiries about Announcement FV-305, Appendix-1, the Commodity Specification for Canned Juice dated April 2004, CID A-A-20327 (for cranberry/apple juice), or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/ Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0239, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, DC 20250-9410, telephone (202) 720-4517. An electronic version of this Invitation can be obtained through the World Wide Web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

Purchases will be made on a delivered to destination basis, subject to Announcement FV-305, to the listed locations. Delivery by trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

Split shipments are indicated by a single asterisk.

ANNOUNCEMENT : FV305
 INVITATION : 010
 COMM GROUP : 32 FRUIT JUICE CANNED
 COMM TYPE : 71 CRANBERRY JUICE CONC
 PACK SIZE : 11 12/11.5 OZ CANS

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELIVERY PERIOD 07/01/05 - 07/15/05					
001	JACKSONVILLE/FAS (BAYAMON, PR)	FL	TRUCK ONLY	3,600	
002	JACKSONVILLE	FL	TRUCK ONLY	900	
	PACE	FL	TRUCK ONLY	1,125	
	WINTER HAVEN	FL		1,575	
003	CREEDMOOR	NC	TRUCK ONLY	3,600	
004	CHATTANOOGA	TN	TRUCK ONLY	1,800	
	GRAY	TN	TRUCK ONLY	1,800	
005	CONCORDIA	KS	TRUCK ONLY	1,800	
	LINCOLN	NE		1,800	
006	SHELTON	WA	TRUCK ONLY	1,141	
	TACOMA	WA	TRUCK ONLY	1,577	
	YAKIMA	WA	TRUCK ONLY	882	
DELIVERY PERIOD 07/16/05 - 07/31/05					
007	CRANSTON	RI	TRUCK ONLY	3,600	
008	RICHMOND	VA	TRUCK ONLY	1,800	
	SALEM	VA	TRUCK ONLY	1,800	
009	MAPLEWOOD	MN	TRUCK ONLY	3,600	
010	COLUMBUS	OH	TRUCK ONLY	3,600	
011	DALLAS	TX	TRUCK ONLY	3,600	

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012	COLUMBIA	SC	TRUCK ONLY	3,600	_____
013	EAU CLAIRE	WI		1,296	_____
	MADISON	WI	TRUCK ONLY	1,396	
	MILWAUKEE	WI	TRUCK ONLY	908	
014	DES MOINES	IA	TRUCK ONLY	1,800	_____
	SPRINGFIELD	MO	TRUCK ONLY	900	
	ST LOUIS	MO	TRUCK ONLY	900	
015	OLYMPIA	WA	TRUCK ONLY	2,762	_____
	SEATTLE	WA	TRUCK ONLY	838	

DELIVERY PERIOD 08/16/05 - 08/31/05

016	BOSTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	2,700	_____
	LOWELL	MA	TRUCK ONLY	900	
017	HILLSIDE	NJ	TRUCK ONLY	2,057	_____
	VINELAND	NJ		1,543	
018	MACON	GA	TRUCK ONLY	900	_____
	SAVANNAH	GA	TRUCK ONLY	2,700	
019	FORT WORTH	TX	TRUCK ONLY	3,600	_____
020	MESA	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	1,735	_____
	SURPRISE	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	1,865	

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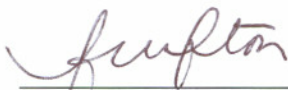
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DELIVERY PERIOD 09/01/05 - 09/15/05					
021	AUBURN	ME	TRUCK ONLY	1,800	_____
	CONCORD	NH	TRUCK ONLY	1,800	_____
022	BIRMINGHAM	AL	TRUCK ONLY	1,913	_____
	MONTGOMERY	AL	TRUCK ONLY	1,056	_____
	THEODORE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	631	_____
023	COMSTOCK PARK	MI	TRUCK ONLY	1,335	_____
	DETROIT	MI	TRUCK ONLY	2,265	_____
024	NEW ORLEANS	LA	TRUCK ONLY	2,520	_____
	SHREVEPORT	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,080	_____
025	HOUSTON	TX	TRUCK ONLY	3,600	_____
026	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	7,200	_____
027	OLYMPIA	WA	TRUCK ONLY	3,600	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 09/16/05 - 09/30/05					
028	DELAWARE CITY	DE	TRUCK ONLY	3,600	_____
029	INDIANAPOLIS	IN	TRUCK ONLY	3,600	_____
030	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	7,200	_____

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Commodity Procurement Branch
Fruit and Vegetable Programs

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